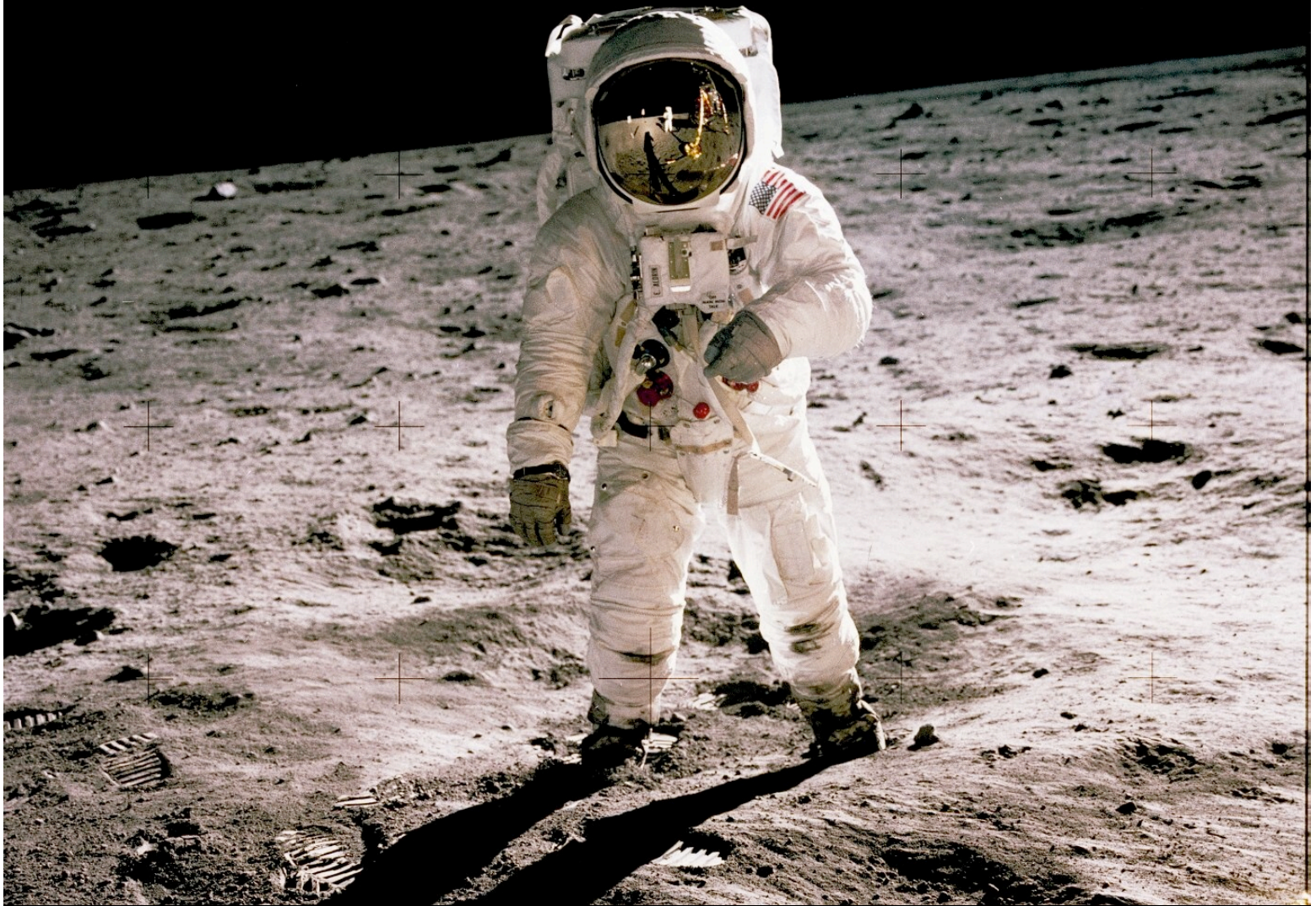




Celebrate Apollo: Exploring the Moon, Discovering Earth



"We choose to go to the Moon in this decade and do the other things, not because they are easy, but because they are hard, because that goal will serve to organize and measure the best of our energies and skills."

~President John F. Kennedy, September 12, 1962



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The Apollo program had a profound impact on our appreciation of the Earth as a delicate system that must be protected that continues to this day.

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It's been 40 years, but NASA has its sights on the Moon again!



"We leave as we came, and, God willing, as we shall return,
with peace and hope for all mankind."

~Apollo 17 Astronaut Gene Cernan, December 17, 1972